GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1435
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DROUGHT SITUATION IN RAJASTHAN AND M.P.
LAXMINARAYAN PANDEY

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the supply of edible oils and kerosene in less then that demanded by the States;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor alongwith the details of quantity demanded and supplied to the States;

(c) whether the State Government have requested for increase in the allocation of these items; and

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the follow-up action initiated by the Government?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (S SREENIVASA PRASAD)

(a), (b),(c)&(d) The State of Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh have not placed any demandfor edible oils. The information regarding demand of kerosene oil by the State of Rajasthanand Madhya Pradesh and allocation thereof are not available and being collected from the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.